

# THIN GOLD SHINE

JJ stepped up to the plate this year and has become an assistant supervisor. I am her supervisor and she really is the eyes and ears for me. She makes sure to keep me current with everything going on in the room. She seeks out leadership growth. She recently attended leadership training and was quick to brief me on what she learned and how we could integrate it into our shift. She also trains new dispatchers. She ensures she enforces the standards but also ensures to do it in a way so the trainee stays motivated. JJ is also on our CARES Team. She has taken the lead on this team. This team ensures we are taking care of our dispatchers when it comes to hard times. An example of this is when we had a dispatcher in the hospital with COVID. JJ coordinated a mini-fundraiser to help get that dispatcher some comfort items along with any needs for the family. On top of all of this, JJ is on our peer support team. Recently, when we had an officer killed, she was here to provide any support she could for our fellow dispatchers who were working during the incident. She came in just asked, "how can I help"? If JJ left our agency today, we would have a huge hole in it. She is a very valued member of our organization.

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